

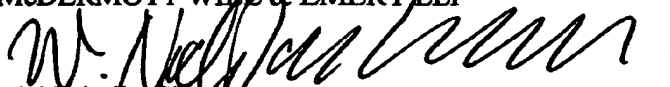
REMARKS

This is responsive to the office action issued on May 11, 2006. The Office Action allowed claims 5-8, 10, 13, 15 and 17. Claim 11, dependent from allowable claim 10, was objected to for including recitation of withdrawn claim 9, but the Examiner indicated that claim 11 would be allowable if claim 11 is rewritten to incorporate subject matter of claim 9. By this Response, claim 11 is amended as suggested by the Examiner. Withdrawn claims 1-4, 9, 12, 14, 16 and 18 are cancelled without prejudice. No new matter is added. It is submitted that the application is now in condition for allowance, an indication of which is respectfully solicited.

To the extent necessary, a petition for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 is hereby made. Please charge any shortage in fees due in connection with the filing of this paper, including extension of time fees, to Deposit Account 500417 and please credit any excess fees to such deposit account.

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